I think this is absolutely ridiculous! The idea that you would even consider limiting XM's broadcasting abilities, simply because 'local' radio stations (which, by the way aren't really local ... but rather owned by NATIONAL companies) choose not to offer the same services. I live in the Seattle / Tacoma area ... radio around here is horrible to say the least.

Once the system is up & running I (and thousands of other subscribers just like me) will be able to push a button & instantly have the information I need ... local radio can't match this service! THIS IS THE KIND OF SERVICE I PAY FOR!!!!

Why din't the FCC stop cable & satellite tv service. Why didn't the FCC try to put a hault to the Weather Channel & CNN? All these are national companies that provide local information from outside the local area.

In reality, why don't these other companies step up to the plate & try to match XM's service rather then complaining to FCC about it? Competition is always good for the consumer.

Rather than trying to turn XM off ... why don't you offer there lobbyists some CHEESE TO GO WITH THEIR WHINE!!!!!

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